trent, damages, etc.

(2.) The Government is to release all claim upon all cother funds scized or attached, and to discontinue all other funds scized or attached, and to discontinue all civil proceedings pending, but the proceedings in Virginia to be left pending till M. Ottnan can have an opportunity to make arrangements with claimants who will arrest their claims after the Government's claim is discharged by the payment to it of the agreed sum of discharged by

12.700.
(3.) The criminal proceedings will, of course, be dis-tissed, as all agree that they cannot succeed. This needle be done as a matter of justice independent of any improvise as to the money claims.

If you ratify this arrangement I suggest to carry it out an direct the District-Attorney of the District to dis-less all civil and criminal proceedings in this district.

you direct the District-Attorney of the District to dis-niss all civil and criminal proceedings in this district, and that you request the Commissioners of the District to surrender the money in their charge, except that \$12,700 thereof should be paid into the Treasury of the United States. A letter should be addressed to the District Attorney having in charge the suit in Virginia to dismiss that suit, but that may be de-livered to Mr. Ottman for use when he shall so desire. If this is done the matter will be closed and, under the circumstances, greatly to the advantage of the Govern-ment, in my opinion.

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The terms of compromise set forth in this letter seem to have been approved by the Attorney-General, but no written approval appears in the correspondence, On June 7, 1882, Mr. Bliss wrote to the Attorney-General as follows:

"The adjustment authorized by you in the case of Ottman has been carried out and there has been deposited \$12,700 in the Treasury to the credit of the United States."

THE REPORT ON THE PINTA.

A NAVAL BOARD SAYS THE EXPENDITURES WERE EXCESSIVE.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TEIBUNE.] Washington, June 6.-The reports from ted by Commandant Mayo, of the Northe board appointed by Commandant Mayo, or the by ex-foik Navy Yard, to investigate the charges made by ex-Congressman Dezendorf, have been forwarded to Wash-Congressman Dezendorf, have been forwarded to Wash-ington. The Secretary of the Navy will complete his ington. The reports are examination of them and take action. The reports are not of a kind to satisfy the Secretary that his directions been carried out. In other words, there will doubtless be another investigation, this time by a naval ert of inquiry, and the navy-yard officials will probbe made to realize that their superior officer is in est. It is evident that it was full time for a thorough investigation of the affairs of the Nerfolk Navy Yard, and that in making public accusations against it agement Mr. Dezendorf rendered a valuable public

ing his charges was one to the effect that the ex-Among his charges was one to the charges was one of the charges was which Captain R. W. Meade was appointed presinent, to estigate this charge. The report of this board has en submitted to the Secretary, who has permitted a PERBUNE correspondent to examine an abstract of it. Mr Dezendorf's charges in relation to the Pinta are fully doed. In respect to the charge of extravagance, the and finds that the total expenditures for repairs and apment by the Bureaus of Construction, Steam Enring and Equipment, amounting to [\$106,221 55, when compared with the prime cost of the vessel, at a when labor and material were high, is excessive. The expenditures were also excessive as compared with very like repairs made upon a like vessel, the Palos, in 1879-'80, which amounted to \$78,201 27- which itself 20 per cent in excess of what,it should have been. The excessive expenditure on the Pinta is due to the Bureaus of Construction and Steam Engineering, the Bureau of Equipment having expended only \$10,572 31.

The Bureau of Construction expended \$47,810 29. for labor on the Pinta, which, the board remarks, " is very large in comparison with the amount of work per-formed, amounting to 9,562 working days at the high of \$5 per day, and a greater number if less was
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paid." The excessive expenditure does not seem to be contined to any one period, but to have existed under Constructor Webb's supervision, as well as under Constructor Varney. The repairs were begin under the instructions of Chief Constructor Easby and continued for some time under his directions. When Mr. Wilson succeeded Mr. Easby as Chief of the Eureau of Constructive, and afterward, he seems to have found no official fault with Webb or Varney until tMarch 14, 1883, when the intervent of the excessive amount of the expenditures and directed to see that the money was not diverted from its proper uses." However "Mr. Wilson seems to have taken no other steps to prevent the excessive expenditure, nor does he seem to have reported the acts to his superior."

As to the unseaworthiness of the Pinta, the board found that the repairs had "made her no more unseaworthy than she was before," when she was "as seaworthy as most vessels of similar construction." The Palos, a like vessel, after being repaired in 1870, made an excellent voyage to China, where she has cruised ever since and at times encountered very severe weather Mr. Wilson took no steps, until all the repairs had been made, to discaver whether or not a vessel on which he was large amount of money was being expends, would be seaworthy, although he was informed as early as January 2, 1883, of the service for which she was intended. The experiments made to discover the stability of the vessel developed no startling features and gave no reason to suppose that she was less seaworthy than other like vessels, which, although not intended for deep sea work, have succeeded by good seamanship and careful handling, in making sea voyages.

One other finding of the board which involves a question respecting the professional skill or judgment of an officer, is withheld from publication until he shall have been afforded an opportunity to submit any explanation which he may desire to offer. From these statements it is apparent that there will be plenty of work for a court

The Secretary of the Navy said to-day that he had not ret found time to examine carefully the charges and specifications against Commandant Maye and Constructor Varney, which were filed by Mr. Dezendorf yesterday and on abstract of which was published in The Triburne to-day. The Secretary will give the matter his early attention. He is of the opinion that the matters should first be investigated by a court of inquiry, after which there may be trials by a court martial if necessary.

CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS.

WASHINGTON, June 6 .- The Civil Service Commission to-day aunounced the following local boards of examiners:

Post Office at Newark, N. J .- Theodore F. Mercer, Ed-Part T. Cone, Charles Huebner.
Post Office, New-York City-E. Perry Jones, Edwin E Grove, Edward S. Post.

Custom House, Burington, Vt.—John A. Arthur, of burlington; Jerry E. Dickerman, of Newport; John F.

hardson, of St. Albans. Post Office, Providence, R. I.-William D. Brayton, hirles H. Williams, George M. Kendall. Pittsburg Post Office-Robert Ostermaler, Stephe

ins, T. A. Blackmore. Cincinnati Post Office-Alonzo Burch, Joseph Kohler

Wilbur DuBoise.

New-Orleans Custom House—G, L. Bloomfield, J. M. Bolland, John Weber, F. W. Gibson, T. G. Traey.

Kansas City Fost Office—R. C. Van Horn, W. M. Bogers, W. H. R. Lykins.

Bl. Louis Fost Office—J. B. Harlow, W. P. Edgarten, J.

dianapolis Post Office-P. C. Trusler, R. C. Craft, D.

isville Post Office-E. S. Tuley, H. A. Chittenden, John Rensiev. Cleveland Post Office—Robert Harding, A. J. Williams, New-Orleans Post Office—C. A. Tessler, J. H. H. Tay-ler, George C. Maynard.

SURRENDER OF FUGITIVE SAVAGES. WASHINGTON, June 6.—Indian Agent Wil-nz has telegraphed from San Carlos, Ariz.,

he Commissioner of Indian Affairs an account of the ent surrender to the military of the Indians belongto Loco's band. He says they were cut off from the in body of the band by Maxican troops. They heard t the country was full of soldiers and fied to San Carfor refuge. He declined to receive them and they are now being fed by the military.

ent "licox says: "The prisoners should be Agent "licor says: "The prisoners should be taken from the reservation and punished. They came here from necessity and will breed discord and encourage absentees to return that they may fatten and grow strong for another raid. To prevent murder of whites in the future and assure the people that the reservation is not to be made a safe retreat for murderers, prompt action should be taken with all that have returned, including two books surrendered May 2, and provision made for others who are almost sure to follow as soon they are routed from the mountains of Mexico."

THE ARMY AND NAVY.

Washington, June 6.—By direction of the President, Second Lieutenant George N. Chase, 4th Infantry, has been relieved from duty at Galesville University, Galesville, Wis., to take effect July 1, and has been detailed as professor of military science and tactics at the University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis. At his own request, Second Lieutenant Herbert G. Squires, 7th Cavalry, has been transferred from Troop B to Troop K of that regiment. Lieutenant Squires will proceed to join his proper troop. Captain George W. Randall, 23d Infantry, has been appointed to not as inspector on certain recruiting property and camp and garrison equipage at the cavalry recruiting rendezvous, No. 174 Hudson-st., New-York City, reported as requiring the action of an inspector, and for which Captain George F. Price, 5th Cavalry, recruiting officer, is responsible. WASHINGTON, June 6 .- By direction of the

ection of an inspector, and for which Captain George F. Price, 5th Cavalry, recrniting officer, is responsible. It is generally believed that Captain Michael V. Sheri-It is generally beneved that Captain Midmet v. Short-an, 7th Cavairy, will receive the appointment of injor and Assistant Adjutant-General to fill the vacancy stated by the death of General William S. Mitchell. A trong pressure, however, is being brought to bear upon as President and Secretary of War to secure the pro-cetten of Captain Francis V. Green, of the Eugineer

following changes in the static s of officers of the Corps of Engineers have been ed: Lieutenant Solomon W. Rossier will, at his request, be relieved from duty at the Military my, West Point, August 28, and will my. West Point, August 28, and will report by to the Chief of Engineers: First Lioutenant Eu-

gene Griffin will report in person to the Superintendent of the Military Academy. West Point, August 23, for dary at the Academy. He will be relieved from his present daties in time to enable him to comply with this order. First Lieutenant James i, Lusk will be relieved from his present daties, and will report in person for duty before August 28 to the commanding officer of the Engineer Battalion, Willeit's Point. The leave of absence granted Captain Alexander S. B. Keyes, 10th Cavalry, May 7, has been extended five months. The leave of absence granted First Lieutenant Alfred M. Fuller, 2d Cavalry, May 12, has been extended five months.

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The Vandalla will soon sall from New-York for Port an Prince to protect American interests there. The Kearsarge will sall shortly for Europe. Lieutenant Charles P. Shaw has been placed upon the retired list of the Navy.

Lieutenant C. D. Galloway has been ordered to examination for promotion: Assistant Engineer R. T. Hall to

the Navy.

Lieutenant C. D. Galloway has been ordered to examination for promotion; Assistant Engineer R. T. Hall to duty at Chester, Penn., in connection with the machinery of the double-turreted monitor Paritan; Assistant Engineer William L. Catheart to duty at the shippard of Cramp & Sons, Philadelphia, in connection with the machinery of the double-turreted monitor Terror; Assistant Engineer Albert O. Young to the Kearsarge; Lieutenant William Kilburn has been detached from the Yantie and piaced on waiting orders; Ensign H. Taylor has reported his return home, having been detached from the Adams, May 6, and has been ordered to duty at the Naval Observatory, June 30; Surgeon Edward Kershaw from the marine barracks at New-York and ordered to duty at the Brooklyn Navy Yard; the ordersof Assistant Engineer Thomas F. Carier to the Kearsarge have been revoked and he has been ordered to Wilmington, Del., for duty in connection with the machinery of the double-turreted monitor Amphitrite.

Naval Cadet A. P. Biddle has resigned his commission in the Navy.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

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WASHINGTON, Wednesday, June 6, 1883.

A New National Bank.—The Controller of the Currency has authorized the First National Bank of Dubois City, Pean, to begin business with a capital of \$50,000. SECRETARY TO THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.—The President to-day nominated William S. Koulhac, of North Carolina, to be Secretary of the Civil Service Commis-

PERMISSION TO REMOVE INDIANS,-Authority has been granted to missionaries in the Indian Territory to re-move thirty Nez Perces women and children from that territory to Idaho, where they will join their tribe.

THE NEW TWO-CENT POSTAGE STAMP.—The Postmaster General to-day selected metallic red as the color for the new two-cent postage stamp. The vignette which will be used on the stamp is copied from the life cast used in making Houdon's statue of Washington.

BIDS FOR REPAIRING THE GRANT. -Bids were open the Treasury Department to-day for repairing the revenue steamer Grant, at New-York, as follows: Theodore Smith & Brother, of Jersey City. \$9.600; Atlantic Works, East Boston, \$11.995; Slater & Reid, New-York, \$16.000 A POST OFFICE CONTRACT AWARDED.-The Po

General to-day awarded to the Smith & Egge Manufac-turing Company of Bridgeport, Conn., the contract for turnishing 6,500 plier puneses to be used in perforating United States postal notes. The price to be paid is 80 A LARGE AREA OF COAL ON FIRE.-Information has

been received at the Department of the Interior that a large area of coal is now on fire near Crow Peak in the Biack Hills. The representative of the General Land Office at Department of the General Land report upon the condition of the mines. THE PERSONAL EFFECTS OF JEROME COLLINS .-- Dr. Colins, of Minneapolis, visited the Navy Department to day as administrator of the estate of his brother, it late Jerome C. Collins, naturalist of the Jeannette arci search expedition. He received the few personal effect papers, etc., of his brother, which were found upon a body by Cutef Engineer Melville, and which have sin remained in custody of the Department.

OUT-DOOR SPORTS.

THE LAWN-TENNIS TOURNAMENT. Notwithstanding the heat, a devoted band of spectators gathered around the lawn-tennis courts at the St. George's grounds at Hoboken yesterday to witnoss the opening of the tournament. Eleven nets were pitched. The turf was in first-rate order and cropped close. The chief interest centred in the performance Mr. Glyn and I. S. Clark, both of whom seemed in good form. Mr. Glyn easily disposed of his antagonist, Mr. Myers, in two straight sets, 6.1, 6.3, while Mr. Clark beat Mr. Johnes 6.0, 6.0. The match between Mr. Paton and Mr. Post was better contested, the latter winning by 4.6, 6.2, 6.3. Mr. Powell, of the Germantown Cricket Club, beat Mr. Barnes, of Sea-bright, by 5.6, 6.3, 6.3. Mr. Rankine failed to appear, so the only other match in the first round that was finished was that between Farnum, of Germantown, and Embree, easily won by the former by 6.1, 6.0.

The only games which exhibited any real science were those between Mr. Clark, of the Young America, Philadelphia, and Mr. Anderson, of the St. George's. Although Mr. Clark's superior play gave his antagonis little chance, the games were watched with interest by the spectators. In the first set Mr. Anderson played with his face to both wind and sun. In the first game he got in some swift services with considerable twist in them, but his opponent nearly always managed to return the ball, and the play resulted in numerous rallies, both men exhibiting much in numerous rallies, both men exhibility much skill in backhanders and volleys. It was the universal opinion that Mr. Clark has improved in his piny since last year and it is already pretty clear that the first prize lies between him and Mr. Glyn. He shows great skill in cutting his returns close to the net. The same may be said of his services, which rarely use two inches. He played with a Peck & Snyder champion but, straight and oval in shape, which he handled with great ease. He wen the first four games castly, but Mr. Anderson secured the fifth after a tussle. Mr. Clark then won two more and the set 6.1.0. The players then changed sides, giving Mr. Anderson both wind and sun at his play umpire the k. The me much called t which back. The play became much more even and the unopire had called two games all when the rain, which had been threatening, began to fall in torrents drenching the field so as to render lurther play impossible.

Mr. Eldredge and Mr. Green began a match of which the first set only was played, resulting in favor of Mr. Eldredge by 6.4. Messrs. Palmer and Dusenbury also

becam a set.

To-day the singles will be proceeded with and the doubles begun. From the limited number of entries finals will most likely be played on Friday.

RACING AT JEROME PARK. The American Jockey Club has been rather unlucky in its card for to-day. The third race, for the Members' Cup, did not fill, and a steeplechase has been added, for which the entries will be announced at the course. The fields are small, and most of them of poor quality, but the Westchester Cup should furnish a flue ontest with Eole, General Monroe and Monitor to start. Following is the full list of entries:

WIRST BACE-PURSE \$500, TWO-YEAR-OLDS, To MILE r Brothers' colt Burton, by Billet ... Wither's King Ernest—Cyclone colt G. L. Lordiard's colt Thacketay, by Great Tom. P. Lordiard's filly Bossom, by Saxon Keily's King Alfonso—Lerna filly

SECOND RACE-WESTCHESTER CUP, 214 MILES. Conkers Stable's horse General Monroe, by Tom Bowling.

L. Lorillard's geiding Monitor, by Gleneig.... Did not fill.

POURTH RACE-SELLING, % MILE. EXTRA RACE-HAND: CAP SWEEPSTAKES, 118 MILES. Appleby's Jack of Hearts. Roberts's mare Mainte Fields... Duffy's mare Eaby.....

RACING AT LOUISVILLE.

Louisville, Ky., June 6 .- This was the thirteenth day of the Jockey Club's spring meeting. The weather was cloudy and windy and the track fast. Five races were disposed of in the following order. The three-quarter mile heat race was won in straight heats by the favorite Pope Leo, Newsboy second with Eva K. third; time, 1:16 and 1:15%. The one and one sixteenth miles race, had only three starters. Ballast won in 1:51. Mistral second and Lutestring last. The test purse, one mile and a furlong, for three-year-olds, had seven starters. Pearl Thora, who sold fifth in the pools, won, the favorite, Joseph D., being unplaced. Violator was second, Murmur was third. Time, 1:59%. The clup purse for two-year-olds, three-quarters of a mile, had two starters. Richard L., against whom 2 to 1 was laid, beat Highflight in 1:16%. The Minnehaha stakes for all ages, welter welgata, one mile, closed with twenty nominations, but only four came to the post. Lute Fogle proved the winner in 1:46%, with Rufas L. second, Mammonist third. miles race, had only three starters. Ballast won in 1:51,

THE GOSHEN DRIVING PARK.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., June 6 .- The June neeting at the Goshen Driving Park opened on Tuesday. The three-minute race, for purse of \$200, was taken in three straight heats by R. Johnson's c. g. Sweepstakes. Time, 2:34, 2:33, 2:33. In the 2:33 race, for \$250, the first heat was taken by A. B. Post's Mary, and the next three by J. H. Bohris's Little Muid. Time, 2:3419, 2:40, 2:3612, 2:3614. In the 2:35 class, which was run to-day. for a purse of \$200, there were four starters—J. E. Platt's Orphan Girl, C. W. Rose's Harry Moore, I. B. Platt's Orpoan Girl, C. W. Rose's Harry Moore, I. Murney's Onward, and A. B. Post's Fortunatus. One at took the race in three straight heats. Time, 2:46, 2:42-32-39. In the 2:28 class, purse 2:250, the starters wer J. B. Gwinne's Steven G. C. W. Bigelow's Black John and John E. Wood's Bessie. The race was won by Bessi in three straight heats, Black John being second. Time 2:34, 2:35-19, 2:35-12.

The game of baseball at the Polo Grounds esterday between the Chicago and New-York League nines was brought to a close after one man was out in stood at 3 to 2 in favor of the Chicago nine, the rain came and the players were drenched. The fifth inning was begun amid shouts to the impire to call the game, but he sould not be moved. At last a small boy picked

up the ball and threw it to a companion, who ran off as fast as be could with it. The umpire could have called for another ball, but he did not, and finally he called for another ball, but he did not, and finally he called the game, much to the satisfaction of the spectators. In thirty minutes "No Game" was declared. The game in Brooklyn between the Cincinnatt and Brooklyn nines was won by the superior batting of the visitors after playing five innings, by a score of 5 to 1.

The Chicago and New-York nines will probably play their game off to-day.

On the American Association Grounds the Metro-

hip game.
At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 20, Detroit 4.
At Harrisburg—Harrisburg 15, Anturacite 1
At Baltimore—Quickstep 15, St. Louis 6.
At Boston—Boston 6, Cleveland 1.
At New-Haven—Yale 4, Athletic 1.
At Camden—Merritt 5, Columbus 5. YALE COLLEGE BOAT RACE.

NEW-HAVEN, June 6 .- The Yale Juniors and Freshmen raced this morning over the two-mile course in the harbor, the Juniors winning by a length in 12:35. The Freshmen's time was 12:40.

THE MASONIC COUNCIL. ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

EDWARD SIMMONS CHOSEN GRAND MASTER-CONTEST OVER THE JUNIOR GRAND WARDEN-SHIP.

The second day's session of the Grand Lodge of Freemasons was opened at 9 o'clock. After prayer by the Grand Chaplain the minutes of the first day's session were read by the Grand Secretary, Colonel Ehlers. The members were in no humor to do business, the nearness of the election of officers driving all other considerations and thoughts away. The canvass for Junior Grand Warden became more and more vigorous. The friends of James Ten Eyek, of Albany, said that while they were anxious to see him elected, in the event of his defeat they would support W. Lincoln Sage, his opponent. At 10 o'clock, in accordance with the special order passed at the last session of the Grand Lodge, the oldest Past Grand Master present, Isaac Phillips, took the gavel and called for nominations for Grand Master. After a moment's delay Edmund L. Judson, of Albany, stepped forward and in a brief but eulogistic speech nominated J. Edward Simmons. General Charles Roome seconded the nomination in a few words that were received with general applause. Grand Master Phillips then announced that as there had been only one nomination for the office of Grand Master he would, as was customary, call fo a vote by a show of hands. Every hand seemed to go up, and it was announced that Mr. Simmons had been unanimously elected Grand Master of Masons of the State of New-York for the ensuing Masonic year. Mr. Simmous was conducted to the Grand East, informed that he had been unanimously elected, and asked whether he accepted the office or In reply he warmly thanked those who had not. stood by him in some of the past hours when he had been assailed in the house of his friends, and the triumph of the present hour, he said, was all the greater because it was such a complete vindication of his character and principles. The applause following his acceptance of the office was deafening and prolonged.

J. Edwards Simmons is a millionnaire retired banker. He was born in Troy on September 9, 1841, and was graduated from Williams College in the class of 1862. He attended the Albany Law School and was admitted to the bar in 1863. For two years subsequently he practised law in Troy and then gave up the profession and went into bustness as a wholesale grocer. After a short experience in this line he married and soon afterward came to this city and went into business in Wall-st. As a banker and broker he accumulated a fortune. retired from business before the panic of 1873. He is a member of the Stock Exchange, a director and trustee of several corporations and institutions, a Commissioner of Education and on some of the most active committees in that body. His home is at No. 28 West Fiftysecond-st., and he has a cottage on the shore of Lake George. He was made a Mason in Mount Zion Lodge No. 311, of Troy, in 1864, and affiliated with Kane Lodge No. 454 of this city ten years afterward. In 1877 he was elected Master of that lodge and re-elected in 1878. On his retirement from the East a reception was given to him and he was presented with a statue of the God of Love, and a Past Master's jewel studded with diamonds. He is a member of Jerusalem Chapter No. 8, Royal Arch Masons, and of Cœur De Lion Commandery No. 23, Knights Templar; of the latter he became Eminent Commander in 1881. Grand Master Joseph J. Couch appointed him District Deputy Grand Master of the Sixth Masorie District, and General Roome made him Grand Marshal. He represented the State of Missouri near the Grand Lodge of New-York, but resigned in favor of Walter P. Montague after he was elected Deputy Grand Master last year.

The other officers were elected exactly as had been predicted in The Trinune on Monday. The contest between W. Linceln Sage of Rochester, and James Ten Eyek, of Albany, was described vesterday. When Mr. Ten Eyek had been found to have been elected the excitement was intense. As has been stated before, both are men of Mr. Sione has 1864, and affiliated with Kane Lodge No. 454 of

and James Ten Eyek, of Albany, was described vesterday. When Mr. Ten Eyek had been found to have been elected the excitement was intense. As has been stated before, both are men of unexceptionable character and the election of Mr. Sage has simply been postponed for two years, when he will probably have a clear field. His friends all understood this and hence were among the hearty congratulators of Mr. Ten Eyek. He has been a prominent member of the Grand Lodge for fourteen years and is beloved and respected. That he was able to win without his friends making an organized effort until day before yesterday against Mr. Sage's canvass of months is the best evidence of his strength. He was Grand Marshal under Grand Master Judson and Grand Standard Bearer under Grand Master Flagler.

Another gratifying incident was the nomination of Theophilus Pratt, of No. 67 West One-hundred-and-twenty seventh-st., for trustee of the Hall and Asylum Fund in the place of Harvey Farrington, whose term expired. The nomination was confirmed by a unanimous vote and the action was followed by hearty and prolonged applause. Mr. Pratt is best known as the president of the Masonic Veteran Association.

District Deputy Grand Master Robert Roberts moved that the thanks of the Grand Lodge be tendered to St. Cecile Lodge for its services in the opening eeremonies, and the motion was enthusiastically carried. A resolution was adopted by which in future the Grand Lodge is to assemble at 10 a. m. Considerable discussion was caused by the amendment to the constitution providing that when a lodge intends to change its place of meeting it shall first obtain consent of all the lodges that may be affected by such removal. The discussion was carried on with a great deal of latitude, and the amendment was at length voted down. A resolution appointing a committee to act in concert with the Grand Lodge No. 35, and was referred to the standing committee on that subject. Although early in the day, the standing committees were not ready to report, and the Gra

A DINNER OF VETERANS.

The Masonic Veteran Association held its twelfth annual dinner at the Ashland House last evening. Theophilus Pratt, the president, called the mem bers to order after the dinner was over. Among those present were Zachariah Dederick, trustee of the Hall and Asylum Fund; Joseph J. Couch, past grand master; Edward Warker, district deputy grand master ; Daniel Sickles, Philander Reed, Herman Carter, Cyrus O. Hubbell, John Hoole, Joseph Levy, Charles T. McClenachan, George H. Fish John F. Collins and Edwin Gates. There were 135 veterans at the table. The president reported that the association was prosperous (and had greatly increased both in membership and influence in the last year.

Daniel Sickles spoke of the masonic veterans Daniel Sickles spoke of the masonic veterans. Veterans, he said, were those who had served long and well in any order or work. He spoke of the universality of Freemasonry, the extent of good that was to be accomplished, and the men who had labored to carry out the principles of the craft. He gave a history of the work of Freemasonry. Charles T. McClenachan made a presentation speech and a volume of selected poems was presented to George H. Fish. Zachariah Dederick responded to the toast, "The Veteran Trustee.—He brings to the vigor of youth the experience of old age." "The Age we Live in" was responded to by John F. Colins, and "Woman" by Edwin Gates. The Temple Quartette fupnished pleasant music. It was a social rather than an intellectual feast, and all present enjoyed themselves. enjoyed themselves.

ESTIMATES OF CROP PROSPECTS.

ATLANTA, Gu., June 6,-Mr. Henderson, the Computer sioner of Agriculture, to-day concluded the consolida-tion of the crop reports for June 1. The condition of corn, as compared with the same time last year, is 90 per cent. The yield of oats will be about 88 per cent of an average crop. The yield of wheat will be 93 per cent of an average crop. The quality is excellent, being almost fairly free from rust. The stand of cotton is 94 per cent of an average crop and the counttion 94. The plant is backward and smaller than usual. ioner of Agriculture, to-day concluded the consolida

A teacher in the Chinese Sunday-school at Portland, Me., was relating to one of the pupils the story of Job, when he suddenly exclatment, "Job, me know him i me see his name on wagonal"

RAILWAY INTERESTS.

JER EY C ENTRAL INCOME BONDS. It is probable that a conference between the me bondholders of the Central Railroad of New-Jersey and officers of that company and of the Phila-delphia and Reading Ratiroad will be held to-day. President Gowen, of the Reading Company, has written to the bondholders' committee that he will probably be in New-York and will meet the bondholders at any time that may be fixed. No plan for an adjustment of the back interest on the income bonds, which amounts to over thirty-five per cent, has been proposed. President Gowen has promised the bondholders that their claims shall be settled equitably, but neither he nor any of the endholder, has suggested yet what he considers a just settlement to be. The bondholders do not expect to re-ceive the back interest in money, but they declare that it has been carned every year since the bonds were issued. They say positively that they will not accept a new bond at a lower rate of interest accept a new bond at a lower rate of interest for the principal and interest of their bonds. Some of them apprehend that some such offer will be made them. They say that they prefer to keep the present bonds and want only the interest which has been earned on them in the last five years. In regard to this question of the right of the Jersey Central Company to redeem the income bonds at its option, the bondholders insist that that right was not given the

bondholders insist that that the right was company.

John Taylor, of London, who represents the English holders of income bonds, says in a circular letter just received here: "I have no doubt myself that income bonds were issued bona fide as a thirty years' bond, as provided by the agreement, and it seems to me that, to ciaim for the words on or before that they were inserted with the covert intention to give the company an option which they did not possess by the agreement, is to charge those who were parties to the issue of the bonds with deliberate fraud."

MICHIGAN CENTRAL IN SELF-DEFENCE. Next week changes in time will be put into effect by the Michigan Central Railroad in its passenger trains out of Chicago. The through passenger relations etween that road and the Great Western of Canada have been terminated in consequence of the amalgama natural consequence of the union of the two Canadian roads has been to strengthen the traffic relations be tween the Michigan Central and the Canada Southern Since it secured the Great Western the Grand Trunk has been reaping the benefit of the for mer's business and has endeavored to persuade the Vanderbilt lines to continue to deal with the Great Western as heretofore. But as the Grand Trunk now controls most of the business of the Great Western's traffic between Chicago and Canada, the Michigan Central is compelled to make up for any loss on this account by giving its business to the Canada Southern, and in exchange securing the bulk of the traffic of the last-named road. The "Blue Line"-one of the fast regist organizations in which the Michigan Central is interested—will continue to run over the Great Western. But the Michigan Central will work to avoid giving freight to the Great Western, and the Canada Southern will, as a consequence, receive return freight from the New-York Central that might otherwise be delivered to the Great Western.

CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND AND PACIFIC. CHICAGO, June 6 .- The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway Company was held in this city this afternoon, at which 350,000 shares were represented out of a possible tock vote of 419,800. Mesers. A. G. Dulman, Benjamir Brewster, R. P. Flower and George G. Wright were re elected directors for a term of three years Hugh Riddle declined re-election as pres prest and R. R. Cable was succeed him. Mesars. David Dows and A. Kimball were elected vice-presidents, the latter in place of Mr. Cable F. H. Tows was re-elected secretary and treasurer. The following Executive Committee was chosen: Mesars Hugh Riddle, chairman; David Dows, F. H. Tows, R. P.

Flower and R. R. Cable. The retirement of Mr. Riddle was made the occasio of a series of complimentary resolutions, which recite that during his fourteen years' service his official acts had been characterized by great ability and unswerving integrity, and express regret at his peremptory refusa to longer serve in the capacity of president. Satisfac-tion is also expressed that he is to remain at the head of the executive committee. Mr. Cable, as vice-president and general manager, has been associated with Mr. Riddle for several years. Mr. Kimbali, Mr. Cable's suc cessor, has been connected with the Rock Island road The annual report shows the gross earnings for the

fiscal year ending March 31 to have been \$12.190,000; operating expenses, \$7,110,000; net revenue, \$5,080,000; land sold, \$360,000; total net revenue, \$5,680,000.
After paying the interest on the bonded debt and four quarterly dividends of 1% per cent each, the remaining \$1,300,000 was ordered carried over to the "Addition and Improvement" account.

THE BALTIMORE AND POTOMAC.

BALTIMORE, June 6 .- The annual meeting of the Baltimore and Potomac Railroad Company was held to-lay. The annual report of the president was read, showing the gross earnings from all sources were \$1,097,008 37, of which the Washington line and tunnel were \$1,046,077.76 and the Pope's Creek line were \$50,930 61, showing an increase of earnings of \$120,576 52, of which the Washington line and runnel were \$125,303 71 and the Pope's Creek line were \$5,272 81. The total expenses were \$790,721 65, of which the Washington line and tunnel were \$728,591 35 and the Pope's Creek line \$62,136 30; making a total decrease of \$50,201 6L

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The net carnings on the Washington line, \$317,486 41; deduct loss on Pope's Creek line of \$11,199 69; total net carnings \$396,286 72; an increase in the net earnings of \$180,778 12, or 144 per cent.

George B. Roberts, "Frank" Thompson, George Small, B. F. Newcomer, W. T. Walters, Dr. Eli J. Henkle and Samuel Cox, jr., were cleeted directors, and Oden Bowle president. A statement of the earnings of the road from January 1 to April 30 of the present year showed an increase in net earnings of \$57,418 72 over the corresponding months of last year.

A CHANGE OF DIRECTORS.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., June 6 .- At the annual meeting of the Rome, Watertown and Ogdensburg Rail-road stockholders to-day the following directors were clected: Charles Parsons, Clarence S. Day, Lucius Lyon Charles Parsons, Jr., J. Y. A. Johnson, Edwin Parsons William Lummis and Walter Ferguson, of New-York; George B. Phelps and Talcott H. Camp, of Watertown; John S. Farlow, of Boston; William M. White, of Utlea and Josiah Lusell, of Williamsburg.

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Commenting on the election The Times of this after noon says:

The election has resulted in a change of directors by a large and unanimous vote. Mr. Charles Parsons, of New-York, has become a very large owner of the stock of the road, and, no doubt, will become its President. We understand that he is a man of wealth and of large business experience. Many rumors have been circulated and published in regard to the policy he will pursue, but we imagine that none of them are authentic, Having a large pecuniary interest in the road, he will, no doubt, endeavor to build up its business and increase its facilities and enstomers. Coming among us a stranger and cherishing no local prejudices, he will be inclined to run the road for the general good of all local interests and customers.

The new Board of Directors met this afternoon and elected the following officers: President, Charles Parsons, vice president, Charles R. Day; secretary and treasurer, J. A. Lawyer; Executive Committee, Charles Parsons, Charles Parsons, fr, and William Lummis. It is understood that the policy of the new administration will be the improvement of the general condition of the road, the laying of steel rails, and the addition of improved rolling stock to do an increased business efficiently and commically. It is the intection of the new management to run the road entirely in the interest of the stockholders, and they hope by careful management to make it a dividend-paying property and restore it to the position it occupied some twelve years ago, when the stock paid 10 per cent and sold at 130.

Only three of the present directors were men bers of the former board: Talcott H. Camp, of Watertown; William M. White, of Canaseraga, and John S. Farlow, of Boston. There were two vacancies, caused by the death of Moses Taylor and William E. Dodge. The other New-York City directors were displaced: The other New-York City directors were displaced President Samuel Sloan, Percy R. Pyne, Christian Zabriskie, John S. Barnes, R. G. Rolston and G. R. Colby, together with S. D. Hungerford, of Adams, and Theodore Irwin, of Oswego. By this change of management the road is removed from the control of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad, in whose interest it has been operated. It is understood that the large stockholders determined on the change because they considered their own interests slighted by the

A CONFERENCE IN NEW-HAMPSHIRE.

CONCORD, N. H., June 6.—An important inference of prominent ratiroad officials is being held here to-day to endeavor to secure a compromise basis for legislative action at the present session. One of the delegates said that it is the earnest desire on the part of all the railreads centring in Concord and also of the Manchester and Lawrence, Boston and Maine, Eastern, Boston and Lowell, and Nashua and Lowell railroads to Boston and Lowell, and Nashua and Lowell railronds to agree upon legislation, and that the conference is endeavoring to agree upon a bill which will embrace provisions for a general railroad haw and for the privilege of consolidation. Under the latter stipulation the railroads have no desirate behild up a monopoly, but simply, as occasion may demand, so to unite their interests that the railroads may be more economically and more liberally managed. No legislation will be attempted by either corporation until the rosult of this conference is reached. A result may not be obtained for several days, but there is reasonable hope that a compromise will be effected.

MISCELLANEOUS INTELLIGENCE. Boston, June 6.-At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Vermont and Massachusetta Railroad Company to-day the old Board of Directors was re-elected.

COLUMBUS, June 6.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Columbus, Chicago and Indiana Cen tral Railroad Company to-day the following were elected directors: Term expiring in 1884, Albert Me-Eievey, D. S. Gray and J. J. Brooks; term expiring in 1885, J. T. Brooks, S. B. Leggett, J. W. Renner, William Multins and William Stewar; term expiring in 1886, W. L. Scott, J. P. Green, J. N. McCallough, William Thaw. F. D. Messner. In addition B. E. Smith and C. J. Geborn hold over until 1884. The Board organized by the election of T. D. Messner, president, and Gordon Moodle, secretary and treasurer.

St. THOMAS, Ont., June 6 .- At the annual meeting o the Canada Southern Railway Company here to-day the fellowing named gentlemen were elected directors: W. H. Vanderbilt, Cornelius Vanderbilt, Sidney Dillon, J. E. Brown, A. Dulman, James Tillinghast, E. A. Wickes, S. F. Barger and Augustus Schell.

WASHINGTON, June 6,-The President has appoint Benjamin Butterworth, of Ohio; William A. Paton, of New-York, and Charles L. Perkins, of New-York, a commission to evamine seventy-five miles of the Northern Pacific Railroad in Montana Territory, fifty miles of the same road extending westward on the Yellowstone division and twenty-five miles extending eastward on the Missoula division.

WASHINGTON, June 6 .- The Secretary of the Interior received from the Northern Pacific Railway Company checks for \$23,625, to be paid the Fiathead Indians for right of way through their reservation in Montana. The hecks are for \$16,000 and \$7,625 respectively. The eness are for \$16,000 and \$7,025 respectively. The former sum is to be divided among the Indians in common, and the latter amount is to be paid to individual Indians, who had made special improvements directly on the route selected by the railway. The Secretary of the Interior has forwarded the \$7,625 to the Indian Agent for distribution. The \$16,000 will not be distributed at present.

CLEVELAND, June 6 .- The stockholders of the Cleve land, Columbus, Cincinnati and Indianapolis Railway met here to-day, and by a large majority approved the lease of the Alton and Terre Haute road to be Bee Line. LONG BRANCH, N. J., June 6.—R. Keen has been appointed train-master of the Amboy division of the Penn-sylvania Ralizoad, vice C. M. Wright, resigned; and Walter Antrim, division operator, vice J. W. Trucax, transferred.

BUFFALO, June 6 .- Twenty of the directors and officials of the Lehigh Vailey Railroad Company were in this city to-day on a tour of inspection of the company's terminal facilities. They also made a tour of the harbor. The party included the president of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. Sr. Paul, June 6 .- At the annual meeting of stock

holders of St. Paul and Northern Pacific Railroad bere to-day the following directors were elected: Charles B. Wright, of Philadelphia; Henry Villard, Frederick Billings, Edward D. Adams, E. P. Fabbre and Thomas F. Oakes, of New-York; George L. Becker, Francis R. Adams and ex-Governor Ramsey, of St. Paul.

OBITUARY.

MRS. SUSAN E. STREET.

Mrs. Susan E. Street, the wife of the late Francis S. Street, the well-known author and publisher, died on Tuesday. Last evening funeral services were held at No. 137 Bedford-ave., Brooklyn, conducted by the Rev. D. C. Hughes. The Rev. William Reid made the address, and the Rev. Hugh C. Guiscard the closing prayer. Mrs. Dr. James W. Pleming sang two solos. The burial will take place this morning at Greenwood, where the body of Mr. Street lies. Mrs. Sreet was a slight, dedcate looking woman, forty-seven years of age. Up to the time of her husband's death, seven weeks ago, she was time of her husband's death, seven weeks ago, she was in perfect health, but that had a depressing effect upon her. She had no perceptible disease, but she seemed to sink under the sense of her bereavement, and the physicians say that she died of a broken heart. She leaves four children, Joseph. Francia, Susan and Mary. Mrs. Street made a will after her husband's death by which the real and personal estate, amounting to over \$1,000,000, is divided among the children.

JOHN T. WALTON.

John T. Walton, appraiser of wool at this port, died at his home in Ridgewood, N. J., on Tuesday night, of pneumonia. Mr. Walton was born in London in 1808, and came to the United States when twenty years old. He was first associated in business with Mortime & Gawtry, wool merchants in Fulton-st. He subse-quently, about the year 1857, became a member of the firm, under the firm name of Mortimer, Walton &

was credited with running a deal, would advance the price. Local operators are awaiting the sale of this long product, and are predicting a break when it is offered.

Both pork and lard dropped back vesterday to the places which they occupied on monday. June pork closed at \$18.82; July at \$18.95; Jule lard at \$11.55, and July at \$11.65. This was a drop of 25@30c. for pork, and of 10@15c. for lard. Twenty-one thousand hors were reported at the yard this forenoon.

Wheat closed as low, and corn lower than on Monday night. Favorable crop news is coming in from the Northwest, and the present the weather greatly encourages seiling. The volume of trading is comparatively small, most of the prominent houses, George C. Walker & Co., Nichols & Co., Lester & Co., and Hobbs & Co., apparently being for once evensd up and out of the market. Sidney Kent's Brokers have been busy, and Lindblom's customers seem to buy on every break. These two influences are now keeping this market going. At about \$1.12 for the July option, crowds of buyers make their appearance; at about \$1.15 for the same option the whole local crowd beeins selling. No reputable commission man pretends to foretel the immediate conduct of the price of wheat. It is said that the New-York cloue, which owns more now than any other party, is more bent just at present upon "shaking out" the St. Louis holders than upon advancing the price. The representatives of this New-York crowd are still here.

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Wheat, which stopped on the call at \$1 10.5 for June and at \$1 12.5 for July, advanced \$2c. on the curb, and was selling to-night at \$1 13 for July, and was strong. Prices, it is thought, are likely to open higher in the morning. The large receipts of corn—650 cars to-day and 741 cars yesterday—despite all the explaints to the effect that this grain is from \$8 t. Louis and simply en route, are depressing the price. The figures were \$4c. to-night under last night, July closing at 56% c. There are about 250,000 bushels of oats in store and the "shortage" for June and July is declared to reach a tremendous figure. The advance of this grain to 60c. and over last year in June and July in spite of the splendid crop prospects then are recalled now. There is no doubt that some alarm is felt by the "shorts" and this alarm is slowly advancing the figures; "but," said a veteran operator, "a squeaze is very seldom advertised much, and while an oats 'corner' is a good deal talked of, it likely as not, for this very reason, will be avoided." The "shortage" is put at about 10,000,000 bushels for the month of June and a very large "short" interest to be in existence in the middle of the month for delivery.

Fowler Brothers to-day filed an answer to the charges recently made against them by iMcGeoch. The answer is a very sweeping denial of adulteration of the lard and all McGeoch's charges. The Fowlers say their lard is absolutely pure and offer to pay the expenses of any reputable chemists appointed by the Board to analyze it. The Board of Directors began an investigation of the seandal this afternoon, but it is to be a star chamber inquiry. At first it was announced that none but the principals to the dispute would be admitted. Afterward, however, a stenographer was sent for and placed under oath. Even mem

WEST POINT EXAMINATIONS

DAYS OF TOIL AND PLEASURE FOR CADETS CHANGES AT THE POST-THE GRADUATING CLASS-COMING PESTIVITIES-THE STATUE OF GENERAL THAYER.

FROM AN OCCASIONAL CORRESPONDENT OF THE TRIBUNAL WEST POINT, N. Y., June 6 .- The June ex aminations and the graduating exercises at the Militer Academy are at hand, and in a day or two the hotels expected to be filled with visitors. The weather for sor-eral days has been delightful and the Academy ground are in fine condition. Nature, of course, has performed her part well, but the new superintendent, General Med-ritt, has wrought a marked change for the better in the general super-rane of the only post. general appearance of the entire Post. A change nlso taken place in the discipline of all classes connec with this Governmental school. An important impro ment is the new Cadet Hospital—a handsome stom building on the hill back of General Custer's status General Merritt has pushed the work on it so that it can be occupied. It contains all modern improvements. The floors are of hard plue, the best workmanship is displayed floors are of hard pine, the best workmanship is displayed in the doors and casings, and the dispensary is finished in black walnut, which gives it a substantial appear All but one of the members of the Board of Visitors

have arrived and are staying at the Post Hotel, with the exception of Howard Potter, who is at Cranston's. The Board this year is as follows: Appointed by the President-Rear Admiral C. R. P. Rodgers, Issae N. Arnold, of Illinois; Schuyler Crosby, of Montaoa; B. C. Whitman, of Nevada; Howard Potter, of New-York; Asa Freuch, of Massachusetts; Colonel L. M. Dayton, of Onio. Appointed by the President of the Senate-Sonators Cameron, of Wisconsin, and Harris, of Tenuessee. Appointed by the Speaker of the House-Congressmen, Steele, of Indiana, Townsend, of Ohio, and Sparks, of Illinois. On Friday last the Board met and organized by the election of Admiral Rodgers as president and Colonel Dayton as secretary. The absent member of the Board is Senator Cameron, but he is expected before the 12th Instant, when the graduating exercises will take place. Senator Harris was called have arrived and are staying at the Post Hotel, with the exercises will take place. Senator Harris was called away yesterday. The Board is said to be much pleased with the results of the examinations so far made. The afternoon military exercises since June 1 have been as follows: Infantry-Review, school of the battalion.
Artillery-Light battery, siege battery, seacoast battery and mortar battery drills. Cavalry-School of the soldier, mounted schools of the company and battalion.

Practical Military Engineering—Spar bridge building,
pontoon bridge building and military signalling.

Ordnance—Practics with ballistic machines. Small Arms-Use of the sword and bayonet, military gymnasties. The proficiency of the cadets is pronounced up to the standard of other years, and it is said that the "deficients" will not number more than a dozen. As a whole the young men are well up in their studies, and the averages will compare favorably with former years.

The graduating exercises on the 12th inst. will be attiended by Secretary of War Lincoln, General Shernan, General Grant and others. General Merritt has issued a programme of the exercises for that day, which is as follows: Prayer; music; address to the graduating class by Brigadier-General A. H. Terry; music; address by the President (or members) of the Board of Visitors; remarks by distinguished visitors; music;

There will be fifty-two in the graduating class this pear, one having died. Onto leads the list as she almost always does. This year she not only holds first place but will graduate the largest number—six. Pennsylvania comes next with five, one of whom stands third and another of whom is a Hebrew, whose success is eald to be an innovation at the Post, at least in late years. Illinois also graduates five who are well up in the class. In the Far West, California and Nevada break in on the usual record and each grad-uates one. Of the Southern States the leading position is taken by North Carolins, which graduates four, one of whom stands fifth in the list. South Carolina graduates only one, but he holds fourth place in the list. chusetts has four representatives, two of whom gradu-

quently, about the year 1857, became a member of the firm, under the firm name of Mortimer, Walton & Debost, doing business at No. 172 Fulton-st. Mr. Walton retired from the firm about ten years ago, and after a short interval was appointed a wood appraiser, in which he was considered an expert. He leaves a wife and four some security of the Lenox Insurance Company; Arthur H., formerly president of the Lenox Insurance Company; Charles W., chief clerk of the Lenox Insurance Company; Charles W., chief clerk of the Lenox Insurance Company; Charles W., chief clerk of the Sun Fire and Marine Insurance Company; Arthur H., formerly president of the Lenox Insurance Company; Mr. Walton formerly lived in Brooklyn, but for the past twenty-two years his home has been at Ridgewood. He had been ill only five days.

THE REV. DR. ALEXANDER MEANS.
ATLANTA, Ga., June 6.—The Rev. Dr. Alexander Means died at his home, in Oxford, Ga., yesterday, age eighty-five. He was one of the most prominent divines and and leading practical scientists in the South He was a Fellow of several European societies.

THE CHICAGO MARKETS.

GRAIN WEAK—A DROP IN PROVISIONS—DENYING M. GEOCH'S SULARGES.

CHICAGO, June 6.—Fine weather and fair receipts weakened the grain markets to-day. Big receipts of hors and a revival of the uncertainty as to McGeoch's success with his lard speculation caused a drop in the price of provisions. Eich operators are drop in the price of provisions. Eich operators are drop in the price of provisions. Eich operators are drop in the price of provisions. Eich operators are drop in the price of provisions. Eich operators are drop in the price of provisions. Eich operators are drop in the price of provisions. Eich operators are drop in the price of provisions. Eich operators are drop in the price of provisions. Eich operators are drop in the price of provisions. Eich operators are drop in the price of provisions. Eich operators are drop in the price of provisions. Eich operators are drop in the price of provisions. Eich operators

celpts of hogs and a revival of the uncertainty as to if McGeoch's success with his lard speculation caused a drop in the price of provisions. Eith operators are inclining to the "bear" side of the lard pit just now, although the little relows are still foon much in doubt to take either one side or the other. It is becoming the general belief that the Scockman, unless he is willing at once to protect a big loss and sell out, will before long be in the same fit that Keene was in some years ago, loaded up with several hundred thousand tierces of lard and without a market to sell in.

"I have a little packing-house," said Sam Allerton today. "It is one of the smallest houses at the yard, and two or three like it could casily be put inside the Fowler or Armour House, I am making 250 tierces of lard, however, every day in the month, stundays included. We have 7.000 tierces sold to McGeoch in the market at 12c, We will not need to buy a thereo of it. We will make and deliver it all. We are devoting our services to take, of course; but wo, undoubtedly, are some of the other houses. If we can hake 250 tierces of lard a day Powler ought to make over 500 a day; the Chicago Packing and Provision Company and Armour, as much more, fr. McGeoch understands more about produce speculation than Mr. Keene, and has not to pay out so much give the ded up with, and he lost a very large sum of mozer, it is every much neglected. The country is said to be ded with it upon the hypothesis that Armour, who eredited with running a deal, would advance the wide of the almost the said the form of many start of the Military Academy, have a started as a fine of the promisers of the produce of the wide of the status and pedestal in seventeen feet in the foreyone thousand the produce of the produ

DROWNED WHILE BATHING.
BALTIMORE, June 6.—Isidore Lewis, age twenty, was drowned last night while bathing at the Natatorium.
KILLED IN A POWDER MILL.
SAN FRANCISCO, June 6.—The Sobrante gunpowder mills near San Pablo exploded this meruing, killing two persons.

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CHESTER, Penn., June 6,—William Collins, age fifty, who lives in a fisherman's hut on Crum Creek, two miles from here, weat home while under the indisconce of liquor last night and trampled his wife to death.

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A FATAL RALIROAD ACCIDENT.

BOSTON, June 6.—A gravel train on the New-York and New-England Raliroad jumped the track this alternoon and four or five are went down the bank. One brakeman was killed and another train hand was sectiously lajured.

THE BODY OF AN UNKNOWN MAN FOUND.

HUDSON, N. Y., June 6.—The decomposing boly of a man, supposed to be that of A. R. Robinson, of Troy, N. Y., or vicinity, was found in the river below this city to-day.

FATAL END OF AN OLD QUARREL.

ST. LOUIS, June 6.—Elis Nickelis and Thom is Cannon, living a few miles from Macon, Mo., renewed an old quarrel Monday e caling. A fight casued in which Cannon was shot and killed and Nickelis was very seriously beaten.

PEACE AND GAMBLING AT DODGE CITY.

DODGE CITY, Kam., June 6.—The city has been in a state of excitement owing to the arrival of "Bat" Masterson and Charles Basset. A general reconciliation of the warring factions has easued and it is understood that parabling will be resumed publicly to-day of to-morrow.

A CASE OF SUPPOSED HOMICIDE.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., June 6.—At Great Boulf folgar Hobinson gave himself up to the authorities. Relating that have occurred of his wave into where the scarle occurred, and the ground has the appearance of a decompliant of the sacring for the part of the game.

VIGOROUS WORK OF A DYING MAN.

WOONSOCKER, R. I., June 6.—James Dodin, who was recently pardoned by Governor Batier, "in a fying calibating in the leader of the game.

A PROFESSOR IN A FIGHTING MODD.

PITTSBURG, June 6.—For publishing a Robinson to the breach the scarle occurred of laie have each the power has the homela article on the actions of certain teachers of the homela one of the proprietors of The Sunday Critic, was alterned in the long of the proprietors of the Sunday Critic, was alterned in the limit of the lando